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RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

This is a renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) to revive the above-identified application.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply to the non-final Office Action mailed March 27, 2001. The application became abandoned on June 28, 2001.

A petition filed September 13, 2002 was dismissed as lacking: (1) a reply to the non-final Office Action mailed March 27, 2001; and (2) a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

This petition is accompanied by: (1) a reply to the non-final Office Action mailed March 27, 2001; and (2) a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

The reply to the non-final Office Action mailed March 27, 2001 is transmitted herewith. The required statement under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is provided below.

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Required Statement Under 37CFR 1.137(b)(3)

The Applicant submits that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

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